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RE: Acceptance, Closure Summary Report for Closure of RCRA Interim Status Units 43.01 and 43.02; Tanks 231A and 231B and Ancillary Equipment.

Dear Mr. Rampe and Mr. Nestor:

The Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, Hazardous Materials and Waste Management Division (the "Division") has received the subject report dated August 31, 2005. The Division, in a letter dated November 14, 2003, granted conditional approval of the Closure Description Document (CDD) for the units as submitted on October 8, 2003. After reviewing the report, and clarification from Mr. Nesta, the Division has determined that the conditions of approval have been met.

Although the letter of August 31 2005 continued to refer to the 1997, rather than 2000 version of the *Closure Plan for Interim Status Units at RFETS*, the closure was not affected. The waste derived from the unit was properly coded to include U103 and U108 wastes. Further, closure by removal and disposal as Low Level Mixed Waste (LLMW) of all components and containment structures previously in contact with LLMW, an acceptable departure from the approved CDD, negated the need to meet clean closure performance standards for cyanide and acetonitrile. Portions of the secondary containment structure not in contact with LLMW were properly disposed as "sanitary" waste.

We therefore accept the Closure Summary Report for Unit 43.01 and 43.02. If you have any questions concerning this correspondence, please contact me at 303-692-3367 or Harlen Ainscough at (303) 692-3337.

Sincerely,

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Acting Rocky Flats Oversight Unit Leader

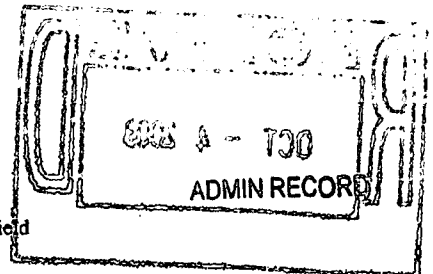
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